



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2823  
Examiner: Suk San Foong

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant(s) : Yasuo TANAKA

Serial No. : 09/660,484

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METHOD OF MANUFACTURING  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

Attorney Ref. : OKI 262

**PETITION FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME**

July 28, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

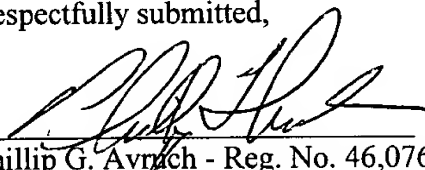
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action dated March 27, 2003, be extended for one month under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

The applicable extension fee of \$110.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a) is submitted herewith. Should any additional fees be required, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 and advise us accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

July 28, 2003  
Date

  
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